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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of :  
Douglas J. Dobrozsi et. al. : Confirmation No. 2248  
Serial No. 09/467,333 : Group Art Unit 1617  
Filed December 20, 1999 : Examiner H. Nguyen

For Compositions Having Improved Stability

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2002, for 1 month, from October 18, 2002, to November 18, 2002. Applicants authorize payment of the accompanying fee of \$110.00 from Deposit Account 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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